PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2009 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)	Docket Number Q71975 Confirmation Number 2068

Application Number	10/662,345	Filing Date	September 16, 2003

For	A METHOD FOR OPTIMIZING THE EFFICACY OF CLINICAL TRIALS DURING DRUG DEVELOPMENT

Art Unit	1631	Examiner Name	Lori A Clow

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

		Fee	Small Entity Fee	
☐	One month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(1))	$130.00	$65.00	
☐	Two month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(2))	$490.00	$245.00	
☑	Three month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(3))	$1110.00	$555.00	$555.00
☐	Four month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(4))	$1730.00	$865.00	
☐	Five month (37 CFR 1.17(a)(5))	$2350.00	$1175.00	

☐ Previous Payment Amount   Date Submitted

☑ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☑ Payment by credit card.

☐ The Director has already been authorized to charge fees in this application to a Deposit Account.

☑ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees, **except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee**, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account Number 19-4880.

I am the
☐ applicant/inventor
☐ assignee of record of the entire interest. See 37 CFR 3.71.
Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed (Form PTO/SB/96).
☑ attorney or agent of record. Registration Number   59,392
☐ attorney or agent under 37 CFR 1.34.
Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34

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Signature	Date
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Note: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the entire interest or their representative(s) are required. Submit multiple forms if more than one signature is required, see below.

☑ Total of ___1___ form is submitted.